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TOPIC Bautzen-Litten Airfield

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REMARKS This is UNEVALUATED

1. Between 1130 and 1200 on 15 August 1954, single-engine monoplanes practiced flying in formations of between 2 and 7 aircraft at varying altitudes at Bautzen-Litten airfield. The weather was sunny.

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2. Between 6 and 20 August, motor vehicles seen at the field and at the Husaren Kaserne included:

TrucksSedanSignal Truck

3. On 30 August, 2 Yak-11s practiced flying in formation. The aircraft took off at a distance of only a few meters and landed individually. The weather was very hazy. Previously air activity had only been observed at the field during favorable weather. A radio installation of four masts and another with one mast were seen south of the temporary flight control station. Two gliders were parked near the hangars.

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Comment. The 2d regiment of the Aeroclub Bautzen is training in Yak-11s at Bautzen-Litten airfield. Formation flying observed indicates an improvement in the status of training.

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